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Incident Report # 544824

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

*Report taken at 11:54 on 11-OCT-00

Incident Type: STORAGE TANK

Incident Cause: EQUIPMENT FAILURE

Affected Area: WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

The incident occurred on 11-OCT-00 at 10:30 local time. Affected Medium: WATER WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

Organization:

ETHYL CORPORATION

SAUGET, IL 62201

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

INCIDENT LOCATION

501 MONSANTO AVE County: ST. CLAIR City: SAUGET State: IL Zip: 62201

RELEASED MATERIAL (S)

CHRIS Code: SFA Official Material Name: SULFURIC ACID

Also Known As:

Qty Released: 700 GALLON(S)

Qty in Water: 700 GALLON(S)

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

THE MATERIAL RELEASED FROM A TANK DUE TO A LEAK IN THE TANK.

INCIDENT DETAILS

Description of Tank: STORAGE TANK Tank Above/Below Ground: ABOVE Transportable Container: NO

Tank Regulated: NO Tank Regulated By: Tank ID: UNKNOWN Capacity of Tank: Actual Amount:

---WATER INFORMATION---

Body of Water: WASTE WATER TREATMENT PLANT

Tributary of:

Nearest River Mile Marker:

Water Supply Contaminated: UNKNOWN

DAMAGES

Fire Involved: NO

Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO

Hospitalized:

Empl/Crew:

Passenger: Occupant:

FATALITIES: EVACUATIONS: NO

NO

Empl/Crew: Who Evacuated:

Description of Closure

Passenger: Radius/Area:

Damages:

Length of

Direction of

Closure Type

NO

Closure

Closure

Air: Road:

N

N Waterway:

Major Artery: N Track:

Passengers Transferred: UNKNOWN Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: NONE Community Impact due to Material: NO

REMEDIAL ACTIONS

TRYING TO SECURE LEAK Release Secured: NO Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

Weather: CLEAR, 60°F

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal:
State/Local:

State/Local On Scene: State Agency Number:

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

ATSDR MO ATTN: DEBBY HANLON (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00 U.S. EPA V (PRIMARY) 11-OCT-00 12:03

IL DNR ATTN: STEVE DAVIS (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00

IL STATE EMERG AGCY ATTN: J. WATTS (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00

NOAA 1ST CLASS BB RPTS FOR IL (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00

IL EPA ERT ATTN: JAMES O'BRIEN (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00

MODNR ATTN: DUTY OFFICER (PRIMARY)

11-OCT-00 12:00 DOI/OEPC DENVER (PRIMARY) 11-OCT-00 12:00

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

*** END INCIDENT REPORT # 544824 ***